Example of Working.

Conversion as from 15th December, 1933, of 6 per cent. securities for £100, maturing 14th January, 1947, into 41 per cent. securities.

Interest rate on existing securities (as reduced by Part I of the Act) is 4 per

One year's interest on £100 at existing rate ($4\frac{4}{5}$ per cent.) is One year's interest on £100 at new rate ($4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.) is $4 \cdot 25$

£0.55 multiplied by 9.761556 is £5.3688558, or £5 7s. 4d., which is the premium for £100 of the existing securities.

The premiums on other amounts of existing securities of the same class can be computed in the same way, or alternatively, by ascertaining 5.3688558 per cent. of the amount of the principal in each case. F. D. THOMSON.

(T. 49/314.)

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Wanganui-Rangitikei Electric-power Board Loans Conversion Order, 1933 (No. 2).

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 10th day of October, 1933.

Present: The Right Hon. G. W. Forbes presiding in Council.

THE KIGHT HON. G. W. FORBES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section nine of the Local Authorities Interest Reduction and Loans Conversion Act, 1932-33, that, with the precedent consent of the Governor-General, given by Order in Council under section thirteen of the said Act, after compliance with the provisions of Part II of the Act, and subject to and in accordance with the provisions of such Order in Council, any local authority may issue new securities in conversion of any existing securities to which the said Act applies:

And whereas by the said section thirteen it is further provided that the Governor-General, by the Order in Council giving his consent to the conversion of existing securities by a local authority, may make such provisions as he thinks fit with respect to all or any of the matters specified in the said section, and that, subject to the provisions of the said Act, every Order in Council under the said section shall have the force of law as if enacted in the said Act, anything to the contrary in any other Act or in any regulations made

in the said Act, anything to the contrary in any other Act or in any regulations made under the said Act or any other Act notwithstanding:

And whereas the Wanganui-Rangitikei Electric-power Board (being a local authority within the meaning of the said Act) has issued securities in respect of the loan specified in the First Schedule hereto, and such securities are existing securities to which the

And whereas the said local authority, being desirous of issuing new securities in conversion of such existing securities, has complied with the provisions of Part II of the said Act, and it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor-General to such conversion should be given as required by the said Act, and that by this Order the provisions hereinafter set forth should be made with respect to the matters specified in

provisions hereinafter set forth should be made with respect to the matters specified in the said section thirteen:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, doth hereby consent to the issue by the said local authority of new securities in conversion of any existing securities to which this Order applies, and with respect to such conversion doth hereby make the following provisions.

PRELIMINARY.

- This Order may be cited as the Wanganui-Rangitikei Electric-power Board Loans Conversion Order, 1933 (No. 2).
 In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

 - "The Act" means the Local Authorities Interest Reduction and Loans Conversion Act, 1932-33:
 - Act, 1932-33:

 "The date of conversion" means the date specified in clause five of this Order:

 "Existing securities" means debentures or other securities issued by the local authority before the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three; and includes any securities issued on or after that date, but before the date of conversion, in replacement (as that term is defined in the
 - Act) of any such securities:
 "The local authority" means the Wanganui-Rangitikei Electric-power Board:
 "Local fund" has the same meaning as in Part V of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926 :
 - "New securities" or "new debentures" means securities or debentures issued in accordance with this Order in conversion of existing securities to which this
 - Order applies:
 "Unconverted securities" means existing securities to which this Order applies and in respect of which dissent from conversion is signified in accordance with the provisions of this Order.

APPLICATION OF ORDER.

3. This Order shall apply to such of the existing securities issued in respect of the loans specified in the First Schedule hereto as are held by the Wanganui City Sinking Fund Commissioners.